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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Claim 20, column 17, line 5, before "one" insert --selecting--

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